lays be selected on a basis which prodes dramas suited to a small auditorium. he confidence of the subscriber is said eatre in this city. So the effects of lar Production of Mangham's Work. Ames's attractive playhouse are not confined altogether to New York. ne other fact that ended in the willing-

Now that the wealthy citizens of Chicago have shown'themselves capable of retaining their interest in an opera company for several seasons, it was to be expected that they might carry still further their costly experiment with a sub-sidized theatre. "The Lady from the Sea." "The Learned Ladies." "The Thunderbolt." "June Madness." "The Maternal Instinct." "The Stronger." "Gold." "The Passing of the Torch" and "The Coffee House" (La Locandiera of Goldoni) were the plays that made up the repertoire. The outcome of the next season will have its eloquence for other cities than thicago. Nobody interested in the success of the theatre in this country will fail to wish every success to the venture in its new form.

e gospel according to Marc Klaw: The value of dramatic criticism has aways been a fruitful theme, full of ental speculation and a never ending subject of discussion among theat ical cople. As for its commercial value to e manager, it can be dismissed with a nence, namely, it has just the same amount of value that the same amount space in the reading text of a newspaper as in impressing upon the public the fact nat a certain attraction is in the city and at a certain playhouse.

I do not think its good opinion sends nany people to the theatre or its bad mion keeps many away. It becomes flicacious when the critic becomes eportorial. In other words, announcing play as stupid or unclean would cerainly have an effect upon that part of audience which has no patience with upidity or uncleanliness. Its value to artist and the playright depends enrely upon the critic and is valuable in ist that degree in which the critic is competent and sincere

thas always seemed to me that there be three viewpoints for a writer. he otheral, the artistic and the technical. ethical will appeal to the public, the rtistic to the actor and the technical to e playwright and producer. All of om should interest the manager. The fault that I have had to find with many ritics is that in the haste of turning in ony for the early edition of a newspaper eir reviews of necessity must be ill conidered and they cannot cover these three great essentials I have just mentioned. "I saw Strindberg's 'The Father' the

er night at the Berkeley Theatre. of playwriting of all the modern plays I have looked at in the last fifteen years, it begins the attack upon its subject in the very first sentence and never loses its grip on its theme until the final curtain Artistically, so far as acting is ered. I think it superb, but the play was not so sure about, as it left a painful impression without accomplishing anything in my estimation for perma-

hically I thought it all wrong. It was a triumph of the weak over the strong.
I do not mean by this that the wife was the
weaker merely because she was the
woman but her mentality was the weaker. ise she would have known that she could ave accomplished more by the greatness of her husband than by undermining it as she did. I do not think any critic should e considered seriously who would rather read than believed, and we have some these men who sacrifice journalism men who sacrifice journalism Nor have I any patience, as e said before, with the manager who de thanks to a critic for a good notice, not think that the play reviewer who the dignity of his calling in mind e patronized, not to use a harshe

s to his paper and its readers, and not the manager nor the actor. But if evare in the right frame of mind and his siews are sincere, they will profit by em to just that degree. Even if the manager are not in harmony writer, it will set them thinking inspire them to fortify themselves good reasons for doing what they

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In the Late Theatrical
Season—"The Pink Lady"
and Other Topics.

There is after all to be one more attempt to found a subsidized playhouse in this country. The Drama Players lost during their Chicago engagement more than stocks, but it is said that one founder—as they were called in the New Theatre here is sufficient to be ack the experiment for one more season on condition that a smaller theatre be engaged and that the plays be selected on a besis which provides dramas suited to a small auditorium.

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o be the result of a visit to the Little Lewis Waller Decides to Make Regu-

fact that ended in the willing-directors to renew the experi-chapper theatre, will make a special production of Somerset Maugham's ment in a cheaper theatre next year was the success of "June Madness," which had fifteen performances. This play was the work of a Chicago author.

Now that the wealthy citizens of Chi-

the New Orleans French Opera Company produces "Faust." These two scenes con-tain the complete ballet music of Gounod for this opera and are generally omitted when "Faust" is given at the Metropolitan Opera House, but are always played in the French Opera House in New Orleans and Prench Opera of Paris. The ballets will the Grand Opera of Paris. The ballets will be danced by Miles. Opalvene, Valle and Balencour and the corps de ballet.

Walker Whiteside and his company in The Typhoon" will move from the Fulton Cheatre for larger accommodations in the Hudson Theatre to-night and will continue the run of the play. The performance to-night will be the fiftieth of the New York run and the one hundredth of the play in

Schilkraut, the German actor who has been playing in New York this season, has olunteered to appear at the benefit per-

to hold a public meeting and give an entertainment at Wallack's Theatre on Sunday evening. May 5. Short addresses will be made by Wilton Lackage on behalf of the actor. Augustus Thomas for the dramatist, Daniel Frohman for the manager and James W. Osborne for the theatregoer. Sydney Daniel Fromman for the manager and James W. Osborne for the theatregoer. Sydney Rosenfeld, the president of the organization, will give a brief outline of its purpose, which concerns itself mainly with the production of original plays, written by native authors and presented by native authors are presented by native authors. production of original plays, written by native authors and presented by native actors in trial performances that will enable managers to judge the merit of new and Bleriot, the avintor. works through performances instead

Russian dancer. Mordkin saw Miss Wiesenthal dance as the original Sumurus and then proposed that they dance together. Miss Wiesenthal, who is a German dancer is now appearing at the Winter Garden

A special set of moving pictures showing inicdents relating to the Titanic were snown last night at Weber's Theatre. The pictures included he laying of the Titanic keel, the launching of the Titanic, the funeral boat leaving Halifax N. S. with coffins, Capt. E. J. Smith of the Titanic, the arrival of the Carpathia, Capt. Rostron of the Carpathia, Robert Hitchens, who was at the wheel when the . itanic struck; views of icebergs made two days before the wreck. views of the survining crew, crowds at the White Star offices. Signor Marconi lifeboats and life preservers of the Titanic and Jack Binns, the wireless operator

A benefit performance in the interest of the Non-Sectarian French Day Nursery for Poor Children was held last night at the Liberty Theatre. There was a good attendance. The Broadway Theatre was crowded last night

at the annual benefit for the Jewish Consumptive Rellef Society. About \$2,500 was realized.

# BISHOP LAYS CORNERSTONE.

Mgr. McDonnell Officiates at New

Church in Brooklyn A throng witnessed the laying yester-day afternoon of the cornerstone of the new St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Paci-

fic street, Brooklyn.

The cornerstone was laid by Bishop It may not be presumptuous to supplement the interesting opinion of Mr. Klaw with the comment that his words gather additional value from the concrete example in the actual theatre which he has apple in the actual theatre which he has reduction in which he has not the least material interest. Klaw & Erlanger may in certain quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with more or less harshness. But no actual quarters have been criticised with the less of st. Joseph's Dut a short distance away and there the Bishop spoke and the church of the Transfiguration, at Marcy avenue and Hooper Street, Brooklyn. That have actually present and Church disquire, rector of the Ch

## In New York To-day.

Men and Religion meetings, Carnegie Hail Lecture by Park Commissioner Stover, Co-iumbia University, afternoon. Convention Independent Order of Free Sons of Judah, Murray Hill Lyceum, after-noon. Hoe library sale, part 2, Anderson Galler-ies, afternoon and evening. Hoe library sale, part 2. Anderson Gallerics, afternoon and evening.
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Old Guard memorial services, Grace
Church, 430 P. M.
National Society of Ohio Women, meeting.
National Civic Federation, conference,
Madison avenue, afternoon.
Lecture by Dr. W. T. Grenfell, Studio
Club, 35 East Sixty-second street, 4:30
P. M.
County Medical Society, meting, evening

This is indeed delightful, but makes doubly depressing the fact that these comments
cannot be repeated to-day.
Miss Cottlow plays much as she did
when she departed to conquer new territory, Her technic still fails in the same
old places and her interpretations are
still characterized by the same honest intent and lack of inspiration. There are



"How this Presidential boomin' do upset home ties! I hain't hardly seen nothin' of my man sence we were jined.

As the French visitors are compelled The Shuberts have in reengaging Grete will be brief and a programme has Wiesenthal for next season arranged for been mapped out for them which will her appearance with Mikali Mordkin, the occupy every moment of their time. missions of New York and Vermont. At this banquet, for which seats may be had on application, the presentation of the best will take place. President best Taft or a member of his Cabinet will be Loo present and other distinguished guests will include M. Jusserand, the French the Ambassador; the acting governor New York, Gov. Mead of Vermont Mayor Gaynor. Dr. John H. Finley, president of the College of the City of New York, will preside. All the French and other patriotic societies will

of France-Amerique and the French Institute in America will give them a luncheon at the Metropolitan Club. The next two days will be spent in Wash-ington, where dinners will be given at next two days will be spent in Washington, where dinners will be given at the French Embassy and by President Taft at the White House. Back in New York on April 30, their entertainment that day includes a reception at Columbia University in the afternoon, a reception by the Society of the Cincinnati at the home of Charles B. Alexander, 2 West Fifty-eighth street, and dinner on board the liner La France in the evening.

A luncheon and reception by the Chamber of Commerce of New York has been arranged for May 2, which will be followed by a visit to the financial district under the escort of a committee headed by J. P. Morgan, Jr. The party will proceed to Fort Ticonderoga and other historical points in that victinity. Visits to Montreal, Quebec and Niagara Falis will be made before the return to France.

The foil ing ladies accompany the party, which will make its headquarters at the Vanderbilt Hotel: Comtessed Rechambeau, Mme. Bleriot, Mile. Cormon and Mile, Girard.

Arrangements for the public bandulet are in the bands of Parcival, Wilds.

## YESTERDAY'S CONCERTS.

Miss Cottlow Plays the Plano, and Mme. Tetrassint Sings.

Augusta Cottlow, pianist, gave a recital vesterday afternoon in the Belasco Thea- marina of Buenos Ayres. tre. Her programme consisted of Bach's chaconne for violin deranged for pianoforte by Ferrucio Busoni, Chopin's nocturns in R major, and fantasis cruss 60. turne in B major, and fantasie, opus 49; MacDowell's "Norse" sonata, Debussy's "Reflets dans L'Eau" and a dance by the of Washing same composer, Rachmaninov's G minor barcarolle and Liapounov's "Lesghinka.

Miss Cottlow has for some time been exhibiting her piano playing in foreign lands and has received some highly commendatory comments from critical pens.

The chief function planned is a public banquet at the Waldorf on the evening of May 1, given by the Lake Champlain Association and the tercentary completely a complete of New York, and Vermont the complete of New York, and Vermont the complete of the complete of challes. shrines and reliquaries in silver and sil- And About 55 More Are Got to March Well Known as a Vaudeville Actress had on application, the presentation of seas from Paris and the Victoria and Al-Museum in South Kensington,

It is believed that the greater part of be represented.
On April 27, the day after the delegates' arrival, the New York Committee cludes many notable pieces.

cludes many notable pieces, is being prepared for shipment and will be forwarded before long.

The Hoentschel collection is regarded as one of the most valuable of its kind. It is rich in champleve enamels of the thirteenth and fifteenth centuries, and among the pleces are many of the finest examples in the world. In the collection is the cliborium in champleve enamel which was shown at the Burlington exhibition in 1907, and also four plaques in champleve enamel, examples of twelfth century workmanship.

A reliquary of the fifteenth century is in translucent enamel, and according to franslucent enamel on gold in the possession of Mary Queen of Scots.

There are also ten round plaques of translucent enamel on gold in the collection, and other objects of great rarity.

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## Noted Speakers From Abroad Come in May.

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Arrangements for the public banquet are in the hands of Percival Wilds, 2 Rector street. secretary of the Interparliamentary Union. and Dr. Albert Gobat, director of the International Peace Bureau at Berne who will discuss the work of their respective organizations. Other foreign speakers will be Dr. Atfreid Nippold of Germany, professor of international law in Bern University; Abdul Baha Abbas of Persia and J. P. Santa-

The approaching third Hague conference will be one of the subjects discussed. Others Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, Justice William R. Riddell of Ontario and William C. Dulcies of Washington will speak on the subject of

of Washington will speak on the subject of the recent treaties.

Among those who have accepted invitations are the Mexican Ambassador and the Ministers of Bolivia, Nicaragua and Panama, Dr. Andrew Carnegie, Alton B. Parker, Jean de Pullikny, chief engineer of roads and bridges of France; M. Papamichalopoulis, formerly Minister in the Greek Cabinet: Rustom Rustomiee, editor of the Oriental Review, Bombay, Justice Louis Henry Davies of the Canadian Supreme Court, H. A. Powell of St. John, N. B., member of the international joint commission: Congressmen Arthur L. Bates of Pennsylvania, James I. Slayden of Fears, Joseph R. Knowland of California and George H. Itter of Rhode Island, Brig. Gen. Anson Mills and Rear Admirals Theodore F. Jewell, French E. Chadwick and John P. Merrell.

volunteered to appear at the benefit performance to be given for Gustav Amberg at the Casino Theatre on Sunday night.

States of New York and Vermont, is as acquitted himself worthily. But the Casino Theatre on Sunday night.

James T. Powers will be seen to-nigh@at the Hyperion Theatre, New Haven, in his new musical vehicle by Gustave Kerker entitled "Two Little Brides." The reorganies of the opening at the Casino to-morrow night.

The presentation committee, which is coming to America under the Joint adoption. In all of these activities he accepting a call to the pastorate. He will probably preach his first sermon there on September 15. The Rev. Dr. Addison Moore, for two and a half will probably preach his first sermon of the familiar Bach chaconne. The music is admirable when played for a score of distinguished the Hyperion Theatre, New Haven, in his new musical vehicle by Gustave Kerker entitled "Two Little Brides." The reorganication of the familiar Bach chaconne. The music is admirable when played for the hyperion Theatre, New Haven, in his new musical vehicle by Gustave Kerker entitled "Two Little Brides." The reorganication of the familiar Bach chaconne. The was no reason why he should have the Joint American himself worthily. But there was no reason why he should have essayed a plano transcription of the familiar Bach chaconne. The music is admirable when played on a violin. It is not at all so when made over for piano. The work was done in geniously, but it was not an artistic success and it seemed to will probably preach his first sermon of the familiar Bach chaconne. The music is admirable will probably preach his first sermon of the familiar Bach chaconne. The music is admirable will probably preach his first sermon of the familiar Bach chaconne. The music is admirable will probably preach his first sermon of the familiar Bach chaconne. The will probably preach his first sermon of the familiar Bach chaconne. The will probably preach his first sermon of the familiar Bach chaconne. The will probably

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But my judgment convinces me, and I think the conviction is born of the Holy Spirit, that he ought not to be hampered in his free choice by my presence in the office of associate pastor, to which important position you called me two years and a half ago. I therefore hereby tender my resignation, and in order that Dr.

as manager of David Wake field."

He was a medallist of the Royal Humane Society and a member of the National Liberal, the Authors and the Green Room clubs.

His wife was Miss Florence Anne Lemon Balcombe and they had one son.

Among his best known novels, nearly all of which are of a sensational character, are "Under the Sunset," "The Snake's Pass," "The Watter's Mou", "The Shoulder of Shasta," "Dracula," "The Mysters" As the French visitors are compelled to leave for home on May 9 their stay will be brief and a programme has been mapped out for them which will occupy every moment of their time. The chief function planned is a public that the art works gathered by J. The Chief function planned is a public bengaged at the Waldorf on the evening the chief function planned is a public that the art works gathered by J. Pierpont Morgan in Europe would be service.

MURGAN TO IMPORT ENAMELS.

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## ACTRESSES RECRUITED

in the Suffrage May Parade.

appear on the regular programmes attended the suffrage tea for actresses at the Woman's tarium conducted by Miss Alston, where the enamels in the Hoentschel collection in Paris and the rare pleces of sliver jewels and other objects in sliver glit in South Kensington have been brought here and awalt the extension of new wings at the Metropolitan Museum. The remaining part of the Hoentschel collection of Limoges enamels and plaques, which includes many notable pieces, is being prepared for shipment and will be for-

suffering of those about them every day, particularly unprotected young girls in Miss Mary Shaw was down for a speech but did not arrive. About fifty-five slips were signed for places in the parade. Mrs. Louden will be the marshal of the actresses. Louden will be the defendent of the stephen Merritt Company. Nineteenth street and Eighth avenue.

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## PLAY FOR VACATION FUND.

Working Girls Will Act Out Next Summer's Delights. The working girls who have been

ing vacation money under the direction of Miss Anne Morgan are going to give play at the Grand Central Palace next Wednesday evening which will set forth have saved. The play was written by Josephine Daskam Bacon and will be had secured an important concession staged by Elizabeth Marbury. All the parts will be taken by the working girls. The hoarding up of the vacation funds suppression of the opium traffic and representation of the opium traffic and representati The hoarding up of the vacation funds has been going on all winter in stores and factories, and the time to cash in is coming shortly. Nearly \$10,000 has been saved and a play will augment this sum. Miss Morgan has paid particular attention to the saving, which has been under the direction of the National Civile Federation.

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# BRAM STOKER, AUTHOR AND MANAGER DEAD

Close Friend and Confidential Secretary of Sir Henry Irving.

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He Was Literary, Art and Dramatic Critic and Holder of Many Honors.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.
LONDON, April 21.—Bram (Abraham)
Stoker, M. A., formerly manager of the
Lyceum Theatre and for many years connected with Sir Henry Irving, died here

Abraham Stoker, or Bram Stoker, as he was generally known, and as his name appears on the title page of a dozen books. was for twenty-seven years a close friend of Sir Henry Irving, whose manager and confidential secretary he was until Irving's death, in 1905.

He was born in 1858 in Dublin, Ireland, RODIN'S "LA FRANCE" ON SEA.

Some merits in her playing however, which have grown clearer of late, notably her treatment of moderato passages with combined pédals. These have greater distinctness and a warmer color than they used to. But Miss Cottlow drops too many notes yet.

The bust "La France," which is to be placed at the base of the Champlain memorial lighthouse in course of erection at Crown Point, on Lake Champlain, under the joint auspices of the States of New York and Vermont, is now on its way to this country in charge of a score of distinguished.

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## MARIE STUART DEAD

With Clayton White.

Miss Marie Stuart, a well known vaudeville actress, died suddenly last night at 26 West Sixty-first street, a private sant-

ment. He made the proposition that Chinese youth be educated in this country and in 1872 120 Chinese youth came here in charge of commissioners, one of whom was Yung Wing. A school was established in this city. The commission was ended by royal decree in 1881. In 1882 Yung Wing

went to China, but his stay was brief. He was recalled to China in 1895 and was made a noble of the first rank in order that he night take part in the peace negotiation between China and Japan. Under the coup d'etat of 1898, by which the Empress Dowager got control of the Government, Dr. Wednesday evening which will set forth some of the delights the girls hope to enjoy next summer with the money they have saved. The play was written by

Jacob E. Friend.
MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 21.—Jacob E.
Friend, president of the Nordberg Manufacturing Company, one of the biggest en-

sented his country at Queen Victoria's jubi

gine building concerns in the West, died on Saturday at Florence, Italy, where he had stopped during a tour of Europe. He died of heart disease after an illness of a few hours. He was a lawyer and interested in many Milwaukee concerns, and became an official of the Nordberg company several years ago when the Nordberg company began to become prominent in the machinery world.

## William Augustus Akers.

BLOOMFIELD, N. J., April 21,—Word was received to-day from Chicago of the death in that city of William Augustus Akers, a former resident of this town. Death was due to a complication of diecases. He was born in this town and was a son of the late Charles Akers. For many years he was well known in the trade.

## George Hauck.

KINGSTON, N. V. April 21.—George Hauck, president of the George Hauck & Sons Brewing Company, is dead at his home, 115 Wurts street, Rondout, at the age of \$0 years. Peter Hauck, brewer at Harrison, N. J., is a brother.

## Dedicate Yonkers Church.

The Roman Catholic Memorial Chapel of St. Denis at Lowerre, Yonkers, the Rev. Richard O. Hughes, paster, will be dedicated on May 30 by the Right Rev. Thomas F. Cusack. Cardinal Farley will celebrate a solemn pontifical high mass at 10 A. M. The sermon will be preached by Mgr. Joseph Mooney. After the re-ligious exercises a dinner at Park Hill Inn will be attended by the visiting clergy.

## TO OPEN CHILDREN'S HOME.

Hundreds to Attend Exercises at New Jersey Preventorium.

More than 300 notable physicians, social workers and other representative citizens have accepted invitations to attend the opening exercises of the \$150,000 new home of the Tuberculosis Preventorium for Chil-dren at Farmingdale, N. J., which takes place next Thursday at Farmingdale.
Gov. Wilson of New Jersey, Comptroller

Prendergast, Borough President McAneny

and Dr. Abraham Jacobi of this city, as well as Mayor Imlay of Farmingdale and President Marcus M. Marks of the preventorium will make speeches. Mayor Gaynor may also be present to deliver an address Guests from all over New York and New Jersey have accepted invitations to the ceremonies. They include Mr. and Mrs. Felix M. Warburg, I. N. Seligman, Hamilton Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Lewisohn, Mrs Helen Ingram of he Association for Im-proving the Condition of the Poor, Dr. Henry M.Leipziger of the Board of Education, Health Commissioner Ernst J. Lederle, Dr. Willy Commissioner Ernst J. Lederle, Dr. Willy Meyer, Leo Plaut, president of the United Hebrew Charities; Arthur Brisbane, Dr. and Mrs. Herman M. Biggs, Dr. and Mrs. Holprook Curtis, Mrs. A. F. Dwight of the Vanderbilt Clinic, Miss M. Bruere of the harity Organization Society, Miss Frances Black, superintendent of Flower Hospital; Dr. Lee K. Frankel, medical director of the detropolitan Life Insurance Company; Kobert W. Hebberd, secretary of the State Board of Charities: Thomas W. Hynes of the Computoller's department, Peter Backes of Trenton, N. J., Dr. E. S. McSweeney of the City Tuberculosis Sanatarium at Otistille, N. V. President Thomas M. Mulry of the Emigrant Savings Bank and John G. O'Keefe, who recently became a director of the preventorium.

the preventorium.
President Taft is to speak in Newark, N. J. next Friday and a special effort was made to secure his presence at the Thursday exer-cises. It is not likely that he will be on hand, as the following letter shows: THE WHITE HOUSE, WASHINGTON.

My DEAR ME. MARKS: I should like to attend the dedication of the new buildings of your Tuberculosis Preventorium for Children at Farmingdale, N. J., and testify to my deep interest in the immensely important work which your organization is doing in preventing tuberculosis in children. It is a work which it would be well to undertake in every community. I con-gratulate you and your fellow workers on what you have accomplished and wish for

riccess in the future.

I am sorry I cannot be present. Sincerely yours, WILLIAM H. TAFT.

## MARRIED.

BILLINGS-NICHOLS .- On Saturday, April 20. at the Brick Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. Frank C. Putnam of Wayne, Pa., assisted by the Rev. William F. Merrill, paster, Jessie Starr Nichols, daughter of the late Dana Nichols of New York, to Frederica Billings of New York.

## DIED.

DITHRIDGE.-On Friday, April 19, 1912, Mary Benham Dithridge, beloved wife of James Duncan Dithridge.
Funeral services at 11 A. M. Monday, April 22, at her late residence, 235 West 103d st., New York. Baltimore and Pittsburg papers please EVANS .- At sea, on the Titanic, Edith Corse

Evans, daughter of the late Cadwalader and Angeline B. C. Evans and granddaughter of the late Israel Corse. memorial service will be held at Grace Church. Broadway and Tenth st., on Monday morning

ONES .- On Sunday, April 21, 1912, Anthony Jones, aged 72. Relatives and friends invited to attend funeral services at 8 P. M. Tuesday. April 23. at his late residence, 202 Dickie av.; Westerleigh, West New Brighton, States LAUGHLIN -A solemn mass of requiem wil

be celebrated in St. Patrick's Cathedral
Tuesday, the 23d inst., at 10 o'clock, for the
repose of the soul of Dr. William Francis
Norman O'Laughlin, surgeon of the R. M. S.
Titanic, lost in the great disaster.
Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

ALMER.—On Thursday, April 18, at Denver Col., after a long illness, Lucius Noyes Palmer son of the late Lucius Noyes Palmer, M. D. Funeral and interment at Stonington. Coss.

ROGERS.—At his home in Mission Canyon, Santa Barbara, Cal., on April 20, 1912, after a short illness, Robert Cameron Rogers, son of the late Sherman S. Rogers of Buffalo, N. Y., in Boston papers please copy

HULZ.—Simon Shulz, aged 70 years. Funeral at "THE FUNERAL CHURCH," 241 and 243

West 23d st. (FRANK E. CAMPBELL BUILDING.

WITTHAUS.—In Paris, April 20, Sarah Hale, beloved wife of the late Edwin Julius Witthaus. Funeral notice hereafter. Boston and Cleve-land, Ohlo, papers please copy.

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INFORMATION WANTED

TO SURVIVORS OF THE TITANIC Informa-tion of any kind concerning Edward A. Kent dur-ing voyage of the Titanic will be gratefully re-ceived by the family. CHARLOTTE M. KENT, The Lenoz. Buffalo. N. Y.